

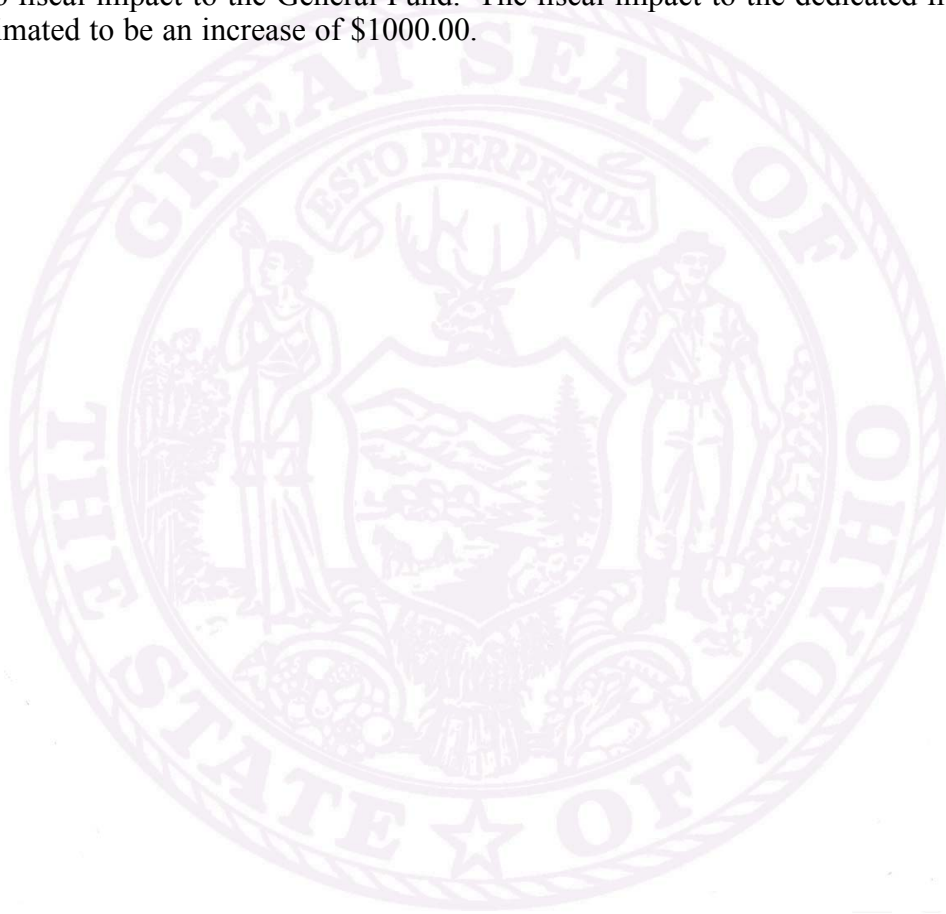
STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS23321

This bill makes a technical correction to address a legal deficiency identified by the Idaho court of appeals to uphold the reimbursable penalty provisions for the illegal kill, possession, or waste of mule deer, white-tailed deer, elk, bighorn sheep, moose, mountain goat, pronghorn antelope and caribou that meet statutory trophy definition. This bill also revises the reimbursable penalty for chinook salmon and wild steelhead to reflect broader conservation and fishery importance of multiple runs of hatchery and wild salmon species and steelhead.

FISCAL NOTE

There is no fiscal impact to the General Fund. The fiscal impact to the dedicated fish and game fund is estimated to be an increase of \$1000.00.



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